

THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	No. CR22-170-JCC
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	(PROPOSED) ORDER GRANTING
ALEJANDRO URQUIDEZ MEDINA,)	UNOPPOSED MOTION TO
Defendant.)	CONTINUE TRIAL AND EXTEND
)	PRETRIAL MOTIONS DEADLINE

THE COURT has considered the unopposed motion of Alejandro Urquidez Medina to continue the trial date and pretrial motions deadline and finds that:

(a) taking into account the exercise of due diligence, a failure to grant a continuance in this case would deny counsel for Mr. Medina the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation due to counsel's need for more time to review the evidence, consider possible defenses, and gather evidence material to the defense, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv); and

(b) a failure to grant such a continuance in this proceeding would likely result in a miscarriage of justice, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i); and

(c) the additional time requested is a reasonable period of delay, as Mr. Medina has requested more time to prepare for trial, to investigate the matter, to gather evidence material to the defense, and to consider possible defenses; and

(d) the ends of justice will best be served by a continuance, and the ends of justice outweigh the best interests of the public and Mr. Medina in any speedier trial, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A); and

1 (e) the additional time requested between the current trial date of December 12,
2 2022, and the new trial date is necessary to provide counsel for Mr. Medina the
3 reasonable time necessary to prepare for trial, considering counsel's schedule and all of
4 the facts set forth above; and

5 (f) the period of delay from the date of this order to the new trial date is
6 excludable time pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(iv).

7 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the trial date in this matter shall be
8 continued to March 27, 2023 and that pretrial motions shall be filed no later than
9 February 27, 2023.

10 DONE this 30 day of November 2022.

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15 JOHN C. COUGHENOUR
16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

17 Presented by:

18 s/ *Vanessa Pai-Thompson*

19 s/ *Joanna Martin*

20 Assistant Federal Public Defenders
21 Attorneys for Alejandro Medina
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